

VACANCY: STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT CONSULTANT

Position: Stakeholder Engagement Consultant
Company: Kongiwe Environmental (Pty) Ltd
Type: Permanent
Location: Bryanston, Sandton, South Africa
Closing Date: 31 December 2023



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About Kongiwe:

Founded in 2016, Kongiwe's purpose is to solve environmental and social challenges by providing expert bespoke solutions that promote current and future sustainability globally.

Head-quartered in Johannesburg, South Africa, with offices in the mining and finance hubs of the United Kingdom and Canada, our team of professional Environmental and Social Scientists are highly trained in various environmental disciplines and have significant, direct experience in an array of projects across various industries, especially in the mineral resources and renewable energy sectors.

With a unique client-centric focus and rigorous quality control processes we are proud that most of our clients are repeat clients. This has led to long term relationships where we are considered trusted partners in our clients' sustainability journey. Kongiwe has executed numerous large scale, scientifically complex and socially sensitive ESIA and advisory projects. The scale and complexity of these projects has embedded high quality project management skills as well as integrated thinking in our processes.

Job Description:

Kongiwe is looking for a Stakeholder Engagement consultant, the ideal candidate would have over five years' experience in large scale Environmental Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) projects within the mineral resources and renewable energy sectors.

Responsibilities will include:

- Design and implement Stakeholder Engagement (SE) processes in support of ESIA projects:
- Facilitate and oversee stakeholder engagement process as part of legislated authorisation processes,
- Provide on-going guidance and support on SE process and coordination,
- Manage the stakeholder engagement process schedules and ensure that all legislated time frames are adhered to,
- Integrate all components of SE with ESIA team,
- Realign SE process where required, record in document control and inform team of corrective measures to be taken if needed,
- Stakeholder engagement document control,
- Consulting with Stakeholders and competent Authorities,
- Consulting with Clients where needed,
- Tender and proposal compilation, and
- Marketing and sourcing project leads.

Qualifications, experience and credentials:

- Suitably relevant tertiary post-graduate qualification,
- 5+ years' experience conducting Stakeholder Engagement processes in support of ESIA projects both to South African regulatory requirements as well as internationally to the International Finance Corporation (IFC) requirements,
- Multiple South African languages would be advantageous.
- International work experience would be advantageous,
- Professional Registration (IAP 2 level 2 minimum),
- Valid driver's licence,
- Valid passport and willingness to travel,
- Experience in delivering project workstreams on time and within budget,
- Strong written and verbal communication skills,
- Commercial and entrepreneurial acuity.

Salary:

A competitive remuneration package will be negotiated with the successful applicant.

Whilst we aim to acknowledge receipt of applications, any application not responded to by 31 January 2024 should be considered unsuccessful.

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